

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

April 26, 2006

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RE: REPLY TO MARCH 29, 2006 RESTRICTION
FOR: SERIAL NUMBER 10/709,081; ART UNIT 3641; FILED 09/07/2004;
TITLE: FIREARM PROJECTILE APPARATUS, METHOD, AND PRODUCT BY PROCESS
EXAMINER: JAMES S. BERGIN

Dear Sir:

In reply to the above-referenced restriction, applicant hereby elects group I, containing claims 1-87, with traverse.

Particularly, examiner has stated that the following groups are separate and distinct: I and II (point 2); II and III (point 3); (III and IV) (point 4); IV and V (point 5); I and III (point 6); I and IV (point 7); II and IV (point 8); and II and V (point 9). No finding was made as regards groups I and IV, or as regards groups I and V. Having elected group I, applicant should on this basis be able have either group IV or group V considered as well in the current prosecution.

On the basis of this traversal, applicant hereby requests consideration for group V, containing claims 101-107, in addition to the elected group I, because no restriction has been drawn as between these groups I and V.

Very Truly Yours,

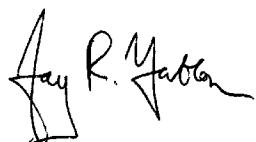


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